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FM AMEMBASSY ISLAMABAD

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 8638

INFO AMEMBASSY COLOMBO

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E. O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: SNAR, PK, CE

SUBJ: DRUG ADVISOR FOR COLOMBO PLAN

REF: COLOMBO 768

1. AS MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS (MFA) HAD PREVIOUSLY INDICATED TO EMBASSY THAT NOMINATION OF PAK CANDIDATE FOR DRUG ADVISOR POSITION WAS NOT ANTICIPATED, EMBASSY WAS SURPRISED TO NOTE FROM REFTEL THAT PAKISTANI CANDIDATE HAD BEEN PUT FORWARD. CHECKS WITH MFA AND NARCOTICS BOARD REVEALED THAT MFA ECONOMIC AFFAIRS SECTION HAD NOMINATED MOHAMMAD ASLAM AZAM, ASSISTANT DRUGS, MINISTRY OF HEALTH, WITHOUT CHECKING EITHER WITH NARCOTICS BOARD OF MFA DIRECTOR FOR UN AFFAIRS (QADRUDDIN), WHO NORMALLY HANDLES INTERNATIONAL NARCOTICS MATTERS. QADRUDDIN EVIDENCED CONSIDERABLE EMBARRASSMENT IN DISCUSSING MODE OF SELECTION PAK CANDIDATE, BUT EXPRESSED HOPE USG MIGHT BE ABLE TO SUPPORT HIM.

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2. AZAM IS UNKNOWN TO EMBASSY AND APPARENTLY TO
NARCOTICS BOARD AS WELL. HE HAD NO INVOLVMENT
IN VISIT OF US NARCOTICS TEAM IN JANUARY.
DECONTROL FOLLOWING 10/5/74
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